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### NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Ratepayers of Chinook Consolidated S. D. No. 16 will be held in the School on Saturday January 14th at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of receiving the reports for the year and for electing trustees for the ensuing year.

Signed,  
Lorne Proudfoot  
Secretary.

Misses Iona Oden and Margaret Mauer, high school students, are spending the Xmas vacation at their respective homes.

Mrs. M. C. Nicholson left Friday morning for Lethbridge, where she will spend a week's vacation at the home of her son, A. S. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Morrell and family who spent Xmas with Mr. Morrell's sister in Calgary returned Thursday morning.

Mr. Geo. Aitken left Friday morning for Vancouver where he will visit for a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aitken.

Miss Chrissie, and Gordon Coutts are spending the festive season on the farm.

## A Happy New Year To Everyone

### Christmas Greetings

and Happy prosperous Days  
Within the Coming Year

To Our Advertisers, Subscribers  
and Friends

WE fully realize what your co-operation

has done for us in the past, and to all who have in any way contributed to the success of our business, we extend our sincerest thanks. It is our earnest desire that the friendly relations now existing may still continue during 1939, and that we may always merit the patronage extended to us in days gone by.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas and  
a Prosperous New Year

**Chinook "Advance"**

We extend Our best  
wishes to all for a  
Joyous and Prosperous  
New Year

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### Xmas Greetings

and

Best Wishes for Happiness and  
Prosperity in the New Year

**CHINOOK MEAT  
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### Local News

Miss Nellie Gallagher of Regina, Saskatchewan is visiting for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gallagher. Miss Gallagher is a sister of W. Gallagher.

Misses Bertha and Agnes Gingles of Edmonton spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. E. Gingles.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Aitken of Kirkcaldy arrived here on Thursday and will spend the Christmas holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lee.

Mr. J. Robison was a Calgary week-end visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bangs of Bindloss spent Christmas with Mrs. Bangs parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barros.

Mr. Ken Gullekson, who is employed at the Cooley Bros. Garage spent the week-end at his home in Excel.

Mr. J. C. Charyk, principal of Chinook School, left Friday morning for his home at Lethbridge where he will spend the Xmas holidays.

Mr. J. Sharpe, Pool Elevator Relief Agent spent the week end at his home in Calgary.

Miss M. Byler, primary teacher, is spending the holidays at her home in Oyen.

## TO EVERYONE

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and

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## Projects With Possibilities

If Western Canada is to derive the maximum of benefits from the plans and operations of Ducks Unlimited, whose projects reached the stage of initial field work during the summer just past, close co-operation between and co-ordination with the activities of all departments of the federal and western provincial governments is highly essential.

At the outset of its active career in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, Ducks Unlimited established a close contact with the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration and the two organizations, with a joint objective of conservation of water, but for different reasons, have maintained not only friendly relations but have exchanged information and have collaborated closely in carrying out their respective projects.

This is as it should be, but this co-operation and co-ordination can, and doubtless will be, further extended to harmonize with and further promote the activities of the provincial governmental departments, including those devoted to construction and maintenance of highways and those devoted to the administration of game laws and conservation of wild life, as well as those concerned with agriculture, the development of the natural resources and publicity, to name some provincial government activities which could very well be tied in with water conservation to the ultimate advantage of all concerned.

### A Laudable Ambition

For the benefit of those who may not be very familiar with the scope of operations and ambitions of Ducks Unlimited, it might be appropriate at this stage to say that the primary objective of this organization is to conserve existing breeding and resting grounds for ducks in the northern reaches of the three prairie provinces, to extend them and to develop new ones wherever conservation of water and topographical features lend themselves to such an undertaking.

Where such areas are not already game preserves and bird sanctuaries it is proposed, of course, to convert them into safe harbours for game birds and other wild life and the program includes provisions for public hunting grounds, where sportsmen who are willing to conform to the tenets of wild life conservation within the boundaries of proper control measures may take their pleasure in season.

A report on the first season's work carried out in the field by Ducks Unlimited reveals that three major projects, one in each of the three prairie provinces, involving the construction of dams and other appropriate work have already been completed and these, together with two additional contemplated projects will improve runoff water next spring and, to quote the organization's report, "restore to natural, profitable use, 100,000 acres of water, marsh and upland each acre capable of producing 100 ducks" or a total of ten million ducks.

### Other Aids Necessary

It requires little imagination to sense what such an undertaking may well mean to the people of the provinces which are co-operating with Ducks Unlimited. It will open up substantial areas which should provide veritable paradises for visiting hunters sportsmen and nature lovers from all parts of the continent, provided the necessary steps are taken to let them know that such places of recreation and rest exist and means to make them accessible are furnished.

Such an objective necessarily entails the construction and maintenance of adequate highways coupled with an effective program of publicity in those areas from which tourists with leisure and means can be drawn to enjoy the available attractions and incidentally, leave some of their good money in these provinces. The latter is a natural and inevitable corollary of the former.

With all governmental departments combining to provide all the necessary facilities to make the most of the site of these projects and of others which undoubtedly will follow in the future, it is not difficult to foresee that the results may well have a profound and beneficial effect on the economic life of the country.

### International Goodwill

The possibilities for the future are well summed up in the closing paragraph of a report on the activities of the organization in the following words:

"Ducks Unlimited is a co-operative enterprise in sport and conservation—of international scope. Its immediate purpose is to restore and increase ducks—as an integral part of a sound development of all resources. Its ultimate results will include the generation of understanding and goodwill throughout the whole continent."

### Commemorative Coinage

New Silver Dollar Will Be Struck By Royal Canadian Mint

A new silver dollar, commemorative of the visit to Canada next summer of King George and Queen Elizabeth, will be struck shortly by the royal Canadian mint, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced.

The coin will bear the likeness of King George on one side and a design symbolizing the royal visit on the opposite side.

There will also be an issue of stamps in three series to commemorate the event. The one-cent stamp will be green with the features of the royal princesses. A brown two-cent stamp will show the national war memorial which His Majesty will unveil next May, while the likeness of the king and queen will appear on the three-cent stamp which will be large in size and red as at present.

The tassel-eared squirrel grows cartfish each year. These grow to a length of 1½ inches by midwinter and fall off in the spring.

In England, a Sunday blue law states that "cut flowers can be bought on the Sabbath, but no potted plants."

Science says four out of five people are untroubled by nerves. They are the ones you hear honking.

Germany has prohibited the use of wheat and rye as fodder.

### More Abundant Rainfall

Scientists Say Next Few Years Will Be Relatively Wet

The United States weather bureau forecast the next few years would be relatively wet if the climatic pattern of the last century continues.

Explaining weather history is a succession of dry and wet cycles interspersed with periods of average rainfall, the bureau said records "suggested very strongly that the recent long drought period has about spent itself and that immediate future years will have more abundant rainfall."

In its annual report the bureau declared any long-time agricultural program which does not take into account and dry cycles is "inherently weak."

Chipmunks are known under the generic name, "Tamias," meaning steward, because of their habit of storing away provisions.

It is estimated that rodents, insects and other wild life devour 25 per cent. of the range grass for livestock.

Ages of stars can be told by their color, which changes as they grow older.

An adult needs about 900 pounds of fresh vegetables a year.

Small fish are burned as candles by Alaskan miners.

### Farther North

Highway Opening Up Vast Mineral Areas In Manitoba

One hundred miles of highway now connect The Pas with Melfort, and points south, to provide a link between the "inside" and the "outside" of Manitoba. There remains only the official opening of No. 10 highway to introduce this fact to the general public of Canada.

Some day, perhaps, the road will be carried to the shores of Hudson Bay—connect by highway the north-northerly port in America, Churchill, with Cape Horn, to the South.

To serve the mining communities of Flin Flon, Herb Lake and Cranberry Portage, the anticipated site of immediate future development, the road must be carried to the Portage. From there its future traffic can be carried economically by barge to and from surrounding communities.

Only 40 miles of new road, at the most, are necessary to offer a fair guarantee that the trade and benefits from these mineral areas of the future will accrue to Manitobans, the builders of the new road.—Northern Mail, The Pas.

### Wild Fowl Photographed

Miss Squire, Of Kansas, Spends Summer In The Far North

Miss Lorene Squire, one of the foremost wild-fowl and game photographers in Canada and the United States, is back in Harper, Kas., after another summer of camera shooting in Canada's northern regions.

A color reel of the Canadian reindeer herd on Richards Island, Mackenzie Inlet, shots of rare black and white snow geese and a close-up of a flock of wild swans are a few of the pictures taken on her latest expedition.

Miss Squire studied in University of Kansas, majoring in dramatics, but turned to photographing after graduation in 1932. She says she does not make sufficient money at her photographing to call it a profession but spends far too much time at it to call it a hobby.

Miss Squire went into the north-land in June. She travelled by plane and whaleboat and a trip from Churchill, Man., to Baffin Land via the S.S. Nasopole was included. She said she loved life in the north and planned to return next summer.

A Hungarian shepherd, 81 years of age, is reputed to have the world's record mustache. It measures 26 inches from tip to tip.

Sir Walter Raleigh never was in America. He only reached Newfoundland on his voyage to the New World.

The Christian world never has adopted one uniform Bible. There are ten different versions in use today.

The Cassiquiare river, in Venezuela, flows in opposite directions in different seasons.

### Register For Service

Technical Men Volunteer Services In Event Of War

Voluntary effort on the part of Canadian organizations is resulting in a national registration of professional and technical men whose services might be placed at the country's disposal in the emergency of war.

With the concurrence of the national defence department this "census" is at present being undertaken by the Engineering Institute of Canada, the Canadian Institute of Chemistry, the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and others.

The policy is in line with that being carried out in the United Kingdom where national registration of professional and technical men whose services might be placed at the country's disposal in the emergency of war.

Already the defence department possesses information relating to the character and capacity of various Canadian industries. More than 800 plants have been surveyed and all facts bearing on their production and processes have been filed. Departmental experts are studying how best those plants may be converted from peacetime to wartime work in case of necessity.

### New Patent Syrup Jug

Long realizing the need for a syrup jug that would make pouring syrup easier, the makers of Bee Hive Syrup now have one. This jug is retailed in Toronto stores at \$1.30 for a 12-ounce size and \$3.00 for a 40-ounce size. The price is the best indication that something remarkably new has been developed. For Bee Hive Syrup users the jug can be secured at big savings. The 12-ounce size can be had for four five-pound Bee Hive Syrup labels, or the equivalent in pounds and 50c, and the large size for 10 five-pound labels or the equivalent in pounds and \$1.00. The jug is absolutely unique in that it has a patent drip cut action that severs the syrup off without dripping or sticking. It is easily filled. People seeing them in action instantly say "That's what I want."

Readers should address their requests to the St. Lawrence Starch Co., Port Credit, Ont.

### No Trouble Over Return

Map Makers Put Island Back Into United States

Barthart Island is back in the United States. A daub of yellow dropped in the middle of the St. Lawrence River as shown on the map in New York's Legislative Manual marks the return of the wanderer, unwittingly "ceded" to Canada several years ago by an erring map-maker. Previous copies have shown the 400-acre spot, off Massena, in white to conform with the province of Ontario. No international incident has arisen over the error. In fact no one noticed it until A. J. Belfuss of Chicago trained his eyes on a map sent him by the Secretary of State's office last July.

The guy who used to blow his horn is now blowing his automobile's.

### DEATH FROM THE SKY IN SPAIN!



Look out below! Death's coming and it's coming fast! A remarkable picture over Valencia, Spain, showing Spanish insurgent bombing planes dropping their missiles of death on the city of Valencia, miles below. Note the smoke of fires caused by other bombs.



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About a decade ago Anthony Eden was referred to as "that terrible young man who wants peace so much." He had earned a Military Cross in finding out what war was like. As a rising diplomat he strove, against obstacles now fully realized, to perpetuate the spirit of Locarno

and to extend the pacifying influence of the League of Nations. He showed a natural devotion to the strength and dignity of his own country, but it was joined with a larger loyalty to European civilization. Refreshing one's memory of his training and record one recalls that he once wrote art criticisms for a Yorkshire paper, that his collection of French classics of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries is not to be despised, and that he made a special study of Oriental languages. But his adventures in art and erudition did not blunt the edge of his courage, as he showed conclusively in the crucial test he had to meet last February.—New York Times.

### Religion Of A Scientist

Few Will Defend An Atheistic Attitude On The Evolution Of

Manhood Few scientists of to-day will defend an atheistic attitude on the evolution of mankind, according to Dr. Arthur Compton, University of Chicago physics professor and Nobel prize winner.

In an address in New York on the "Religion of a Scientist", Dr. Compton said that "as we learn more about the world, the probability of its having resulted by chance processes becomes more and more remote."

The world is still in the early stages of evolution and as man develops he probably will take over from God responsibility for the evolution of life on earth, the Chicago scientist said.

Faith in God may be a thoroughly scientific attitude, Dr. Compton declared, even though it is not possible to establish the correctness of the belief.

"Such a faith is presumably based on the experience that the hypothesis of God gives a more reasonable interpretation of the world than any other," he said.

Analyzing the present stage of evolution Dr. Compton said man is now master of plant and animal life on earth and to a large extent even the means of controlling his own evolution.

"Gradually the responsibility is being shifted by God to our shoulders. As science advances it seems inevitable that this transfer of authority will approach completeness," he said.

### One Of Deadliest Weapons

Motor Car Improperly Handled Can Do Unfold Damage

Many motorists do not know the deadly nature of the weapon in their charge when carelessly handled. The motor car in itself is foolproof, properly cared for. The trouble, when there is trouble, usually is due to the hands of the driver.

"Canadian Underwriter", which devotes much of a recent issue to highway accidents, prints this: "Engineers say that a motorist who crashes into a solid object at 60 miles per hour suffers the same force of impact that he would if he drove off the roof of a 12-story building."

No name motorist would drive off a 12-story building. How many "going 60" realize the danger?

A car going 60 represents nine times the energy of one going 20 miles per hour; it is nine times as hard to stop, travels nine times as far before stopping, hits any object nine times as hard, and brings death six times as often.

The insurance journal also offers this for thought: At 20 miles per hour, according to the law of averages, there is one death in 61 accidents; at 20 to 30 miles, one death in 42; at 30 to 40 miles, one in 35; at 40 to 50 miles, one in 25 accidents; over 50, one in 11.

### Orient Follows Old Customs

One of the oldest, and most widespread, unges of colour connects a specific one with each of the four cardinal points of the compass. North is white, east is yellow, south red and west black. In many parts of the Orient this colour custom still is followed in the painting of city gates that face squarely in these directions.

Tree stamps, 400,000 years old, were taken from the water off the coast of New Jersey almost perfectly preserved.

In Ancient China the highest praise that could be bestowed upon an Emperor was to say that his goodness extended to animals.

In Europe it's a wise child that knows his own fatherland.









# CHINOOK UNITED CHURCH

Sunday School at 2:45 p m  
Mr. Charyk, M. A. Supt.  
Church Service will be held  
next Sunday at 1:45 p m

Rev. Mr. Whaley  
Youngstown

## Greetings

for

A Merry Christmas

and

A Happy New Year

E. Robinson

Best Wishes To All

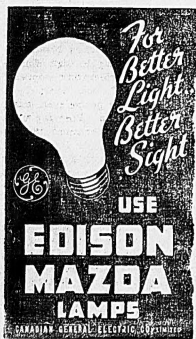
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A Merry Christmas

and

A Happy New Year

MAH BROS.



## Round About Town

Quite a coincidence that a young lady's birthday fell on the same date as that of a popular fellow living north of town. Did they have a happy one together? By the request some "well wisher" hoped they would.

Have you heard of the latest foursome? They appear at all social gathering now. It is reported that they had a most exciting time at Excel on Tuesday night.

We notice our genial new "Editor in Chief" has a lone some look in his eye when he casts his gaze over to the N W corner of town. Xmas holidays are fine for the ones that go, but it's tough on our "Editor."

Business must be on the up-tun. We heard of a couple of girls who wanted street car service to avoid that long wait on the street corner — or was it to have more time at the street corner?

Christmas is past once more and only a few bones of the vast army of Turkeys who made the supreme sacrifice remain, along with a few headaches, and that heavy feeling. A few days rest and we will feel able to usher in the new year in fitting style.

## Annual School Concert Held

The Annual Xmas Concert of Chinook School was held on Thursday, December 22nd.

The weather was ideal and the attendance all that could be desired, the auditorium being packed to capacity. Many who were unable to gain admittance to the auditorium, stood in the hall adjoining.

Mr. Proudfoot announced the program. As an opening feature Mr. Morrell used the lantern recently purchased by the school to show some film slides, which were both interesting and instructive.

A splendid program of solos, choruses, recitations, plays and a demonstration of physical training by 10 girls of Mr. Charyk's room, also a play by Miss Ryler's pupils which was particularly amusing, followed, every number receiving merited applause.

The last but not least interesting number of the program was the arrival of Santa Claus who, with his assistants, quickly distributed the contents of his heavily laden pack among a greatly excited group of children.

The dance which followed the program was well attended and continued to the wee-ma' hours of the morning.

Husband: "I've insured my life for \$15,000, so that if anything happens to me you will be provided for."

Wife: "How nice and thoughtful. Now you won't have to see a doctor every time you feel sick, will you?"

Mr. Frank Anderson, who has been visiting with his parents for the past week returned to Camrose on Wednesday

Misses Dorothy, Bernice and Ethylene Rasmussen who are attending school here, are spending the holidays with their parents, on the farm.

Mr. M. Obertas, who is employed at Hanna, spent Xmas with his family in Chinook.

Mr. L. Bayley of Lethbridge arrived here Saturday night and will spend a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bayley.

Miss Donelda McLean spent Christmas at her home in Al-sask, returning Tuesday.

Mr. Clifford Gullekson who is attending high school here is spending the vacation at his home in Excel

Miss Joan Bayley of Calgary, formerly of Chinook, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bayley.

Mr. J. E. Bunney of Brooks is visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. Senecal of Rearville.

Misses Nettie and Heler Kulvik; Doris and Varguerite Hittle, high school students, returned to their homes on Friday where they will spend the Xmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Goddard of Edmonton are visiting at the home of the latter's parent, Mr. and Mrs. D. Anderson

Young Husband: (breathless) I got your phone message at the office and came at once. What happened?"

Young Wife: "You're too late. Baby had his toes in his mouth and he looked so pretty."

## President 'Social Crdd.' Body Loses

Chancellor (Special) — At a election, held in the Chancellor School for the purpose of electing a school trustee to act on the board of Subdivision 2 of the Bow Valley School Division 43, Philip Rogers, Chancellor, was elected over F. J. Mueller, Hussar. Mr. Mueller is vice president of the provincial "Social Credit" League and president of the Bow Valley "Social Credit" constituency.

Election results revealed that Mr. Rogers defeated Mr. Mueller by a total of 84 to 59 votes, and gained a majority of votes in six out of nine school districts where a poll was held at each school house.

A municipal engineer claims to have limbed over 50,000 feet last year, few cinema patrons could equal this record.

## Heartiest Christmas Greetings

Sincere and best wishes to all for a Merry Christmas and bright New Year. Our earnest wish is that you may experience the joys and delight of this Yuletide and share in the happiness of the New Year.

## Chinook Trading Co.

## To Our Customers And Friends

Best Wishes for a  
Merry Christmas

and

A Happy, Prosperous  
New Year

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A Merry Christmas

and

A Happy New Year

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